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MAN SENTENCED TO TEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR ROLE IN DRUG CONSPIRACY

TUCSON, Ariz. – Fausto Morolloqui-Fonseca, 63, was sentenced here on July 27, 2005 to 120 months in prison by U.S. District Judge Frank R. Zapata.

On or about September 9, 2004, in Tucson, Ariz., Morolloqui-Fonseca entered into an agreement to sell 11 kilograms of cocaine to another person. The defendant pleaded guilty on May 17, 2005, to Conspiracy to Possess with Intent to Distribute five or more kilograms of cocaine in violation of Title 21 U.S. Code Sections 841(a)(1), 841 (b)(1)(A) and 846.

The investigation in this case was conducted by the Drug Enforcement Agency. The prosecution was handled by David Petermann, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz.

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